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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, HA, DR, CS

SUBJECT: REPORT OF ARMED VESSEL HEADED FOR HAITI

REF: STATE 236630 PORT AU PRINCE 2070

- 1. FOREIGN MINISTER RAYMOND CALLED ME AT 6:15 P.M. LOCAL TODAY (DECEMBER 4) TO INFORM ME GOH HAD JUST RECEIVED REPORT THAT A "RATHER LARGE VESSEL" HAD BEEN SEEN OFF THE SOUTH COAST OF HAITI NEAR LES CAYES REPEAT LES CAYES. RAYMOND HAD NO DETAILS AND DID NOT KNOW IN WHICH DIRECTION VESSEL MOVING.
- 2. RAYMOND ASKED ME IF EMBASSY HAD RECEIVED ANY INFORMATION ON "CEIBO". I SAID WE HAD NOT. RAYMOND THEN ASKED ME TO PASS THIS REPORT (PARA. 1) TO DEPT FOR APPROPRIATE ACTION IN VIEW PREVIOUS COMMUNICATIONS THIS SUBJECT.

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3. DEFATT INFORMS ME NO USG VESSELS KNOWN TO HIM TO BE IN

AREA CONCERNED.

4. COMMENT: BELIEVE WE SHOULD STICK WITH PLAN OF GOH/GODR COOPERATION THIS MATTER BASED ON INFO TO DATE.

5. ACTION:

FOR DEPARTMENT: PARA. 2.

FOR SANTO DOMINGO: ALTHOUGH RAYMOND SAID DURING ABOVE CONVERSATION THAT GOH IN TOUCH WITH GODR, EMBASSY MAY WISH TO PASS REPORT OF VESSEL TO GODR TO MAKE CERTAIN REPORT RECEIVED. WILSON

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